

interrupting their activities.

In The Campgrounds

- No reservations. Expect crowds. Plan ahead for alternative destinations.
- Camp only at Pelican Beach, Cypress Head, or Strawberry Island.
- Use designated campsites.
 Campsite resources are limited; share with others.
- Prevent wildfires. Build your fire only in the provided steel fireplaces.
- Secure food supplies; protect wildlife from human food sources.
- Bring wood, or collect loose sticks and downed branches. Leave dead trees as habitat.
- No available drinking water. Please bring your own.
- Pack it in. Pack it out.
 Leave no trace of your visit.
- Limit your stay to 7 days.



Cypress Island Natural Areas



Natural Resources Conservation Areas

Natural Resources Conservation Areas are lands identified as having high priority for the conservation of natural systems, wildlife, and recreational values; prime natural features of the Washington landscape, inland or coastal wetlands, significant shores, estuaries, aquatic sites, or important geological features; examples of native ecological communities and evironmentally significant sites threatened with conversion to incompatible or ecologically irreversable uses.

Natural Area Preserves

Natural Area Preserves provide for the protection of natural lands, together with the plants and animals living there in natural ecological systems, which are valuable for the purpose of scientific research and teaching, as habitats of rare and vanishing species, as places of natural, historic, and natural interest and scenic beauty, and as living museums of the original heritage of the state.

Recreation

Three camping areas totaling 15 acres are managed for primitive camping. Approximately 20 miles of trails & converted roads are open for hiking. Bicycles, pack animals, and all motorized and non-motorized vehicles are not allowed.

Recreation Area	Campsites	Picnic Sites	Toilets	Drinking Water	Mooring Bouys
Pelican Beach	3* 7 total	3* **	yes*	none	6
Cypress Head	9	**	yes	none	4
Strawberry Island	3	**	yes	none	0

At Pelican Beach there are three campsites, three day use sites and one toilet located off a barrier-free boardwalk. Levels of accessibility vary and assistance may be required. Contact DNR region office for details on beach access.

** Picnic tables in campsites only.